



## Foreign Affairs Manual

### 15 FAM – Overseas Buildings Operations

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**15 FAM 140  
REAL PROPERTY REPORTING  
REQUIREMENTS;  
15 FAM 160  
FUNDING RESPONSIBILITIES OF  
OCCUPYING AGENCIES;  
15 FAM 330  
LEASE PROCEDURES;  
15 FAM 520  
DISPOSAL METHODS AND PROCEEDS  
DISTRIBUTION;  
15 FAM 530  
REQUIRED PROCEDURES FOR DISPOSAL  
OF REAL PROPERTY**

#### **Changes**

1. **15 FAM 142:** The 15 FAM Exhibit 144 number has been corrected here in the text and also in the exhibit to 15 FAM Exhibit 142.
2. **15 FAM 161:** The 15 FAM Exhibit 160 number has been corrected here in the text and also in the exhibit to 15 FAM Exhibit 161.
3. **15 FAM 332.2:** The 15 FAM Exhibit 322 number has been corrected here in the text to 15 FAM Exhibit 332.
4. **15 FAM 520:** The word "Proceeds" has been added to the subchapter

title so that it is now Disposal Methods and Proceeds Distribution.

5. **15 FAM 532:** The 15 FAM Exhibit 515.2 number has been corrected here in the text to 15 FAM Exhibit 532.
6. **15 FAM Overseas Buildings Operations (OBO) crosswalk:** This crosswalk, showing text and exhibit locations from former 6 FAM to current 15 FAM, is now posted on the intranet and Internet Web sites. To access this crosswalk on the Web site, scroll to 6 FAM 700 and click on the link.
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